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25X1 1. Cement: Total export 420,000 metric tons of cement, Polish norm quality No. 350. Of this amount 320,000 tons go to the USSR at 42.80 rubles per ton (\$10.70) by land in monthly shipments of 25 thousand - 30 thousand tons franco the Polish-Soviet boundary. Unloading takes place at Nizankowice [394IN-2250E], a Polish border town where the cement is transferred from Polish standard gauge cars to Soviet broad gauge cars, at Soviet expense. The value of this cement is \$3,424,000 (calculated on the basis of four rubles to one dollar). The USSR stipulated that this quantity of cement must be delivered within 10 months. Further deliveries of about 25 thousand tons monthly will continue through November and December on account of the next year's quota, but as the delivery quota increases each year, the advance deliveries actually represent an additional quantity of cement. This is a strain on Polish export economy. The remaining 100 thousand tons go to overseas countries at \$14 per metric ton FOB stowed at Polish ports.

2. Burnt Lime: 60 thousand tons at \$12.50 per ton franco Polish border, value \$750,000, for East Germany.

3. Stucco Gypsum: three thousand tons at \$11 per ton FOB, value \$33,000, for Sweden and Finland.

4. Gypsum Stone: 20 thousand tons at \$35 per ton FOB or franco border, value \$70,000, for Czechoslovakia and Sweden.

5. Burnt Dolomite: 10 thousand tons at \$15.50 per ton franco border, value \$155,000, for Czechoslovakia.

6. Neurode Slate (Lupek Noworudski): 10 thousand tons at \$18 per ton, value \$180,000, seven thousand tons to Hungary and three thousand tons to East Germany.

7. Quartzites: (a) 1,500 tons broken quartzite, value \$34,500; for Czechoslovakia 900 tons at \$25 per ton, for Hungary 600 tons at \$20 per ton. (b) 500 tons of cut quartzite at \$50 per ton, value \$ 25,000, for Czechoslovakia.

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8. Refractory Bricks (Cegly Szamotewe): Eight thousand tons at \$50 per ton, value \$400,000; 1,600 tons have been delivered to Czechoslovakia and another contract was made for an additional one thousand tons.
9. Clay from Bestwina: One thousand tons at \$7.50 per ton, value \$7,500, for Czechoslovakia.

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